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REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated 02 March 2000 for the above-identified patent application. Applicants request a three-month extension of time, up to and including 05 September 2000. A check in the amount of \$585 is enclosed which also includes the small entity fee for filing a Notice of appeal. Please charge any additional amounts or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0258 of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP.

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